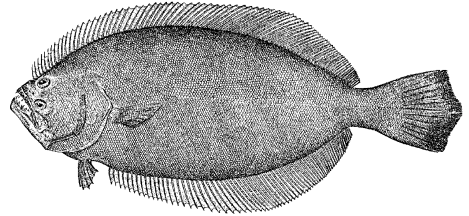


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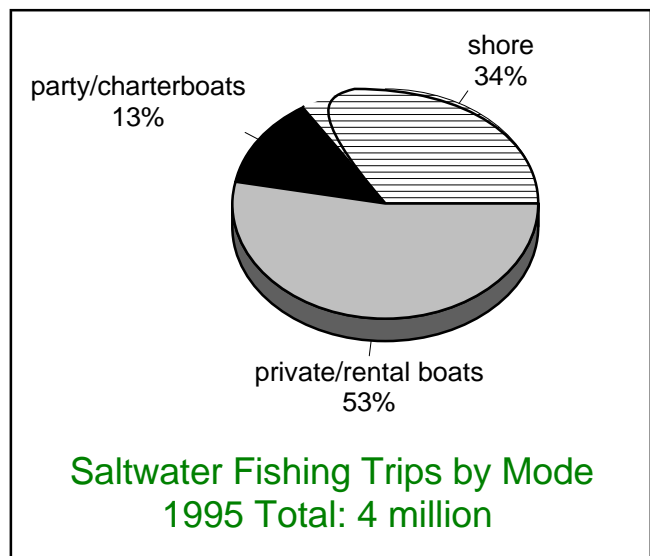
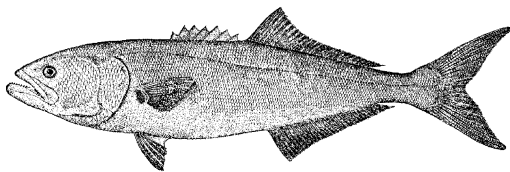
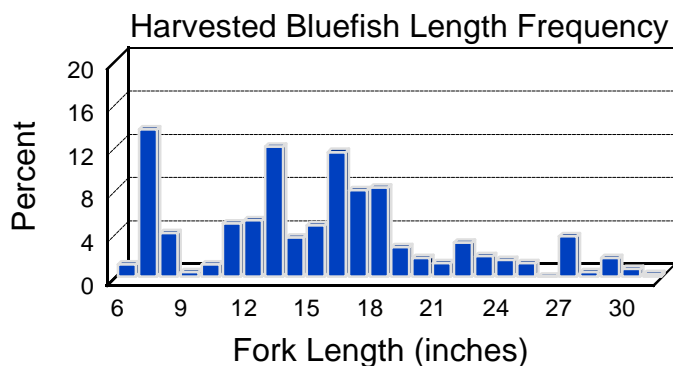
## 1995 Fact Sheet



### New York



| Species         | Number Harvested<br>(thousands) | Pounds Harvested<br>(thousands) | Number Released<br>(thousands) |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| SUMMER FLOUNDER | 577                             | 1068                            | 1561                           |
| BLUEFISH        | 1024                            | 2474                            | 708                            |
| WINTER FLOUNDER | 642                             | 687                             | 422                            |
| STRIPED BASS    | 150                             | 3184                            | 1164                           |
| TAUTOG          | 116                             | 367                             | 456                            |



### DID YOU KNOW? .....

- ➡ Nearly half a million anglers participated in New York's recreational saltwater fishery in 1995.
- ➡ New York anglers harvested more pounds of striped bass than any other state in 1995.
- ➡ MRFSS field interviewers have identified 97 different species of fish caught in New York waters.
- ➡ Over 80,000 saltwater anglers have been interviewed at New York fishing sites since the MRFSS began in 1979.